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ALAMEDA COUNTY, CAL.

Week ended October 17.

Sick inspected.....	12
Dead inspected.....	61
Necropsies held.....	6

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, CAL.

Week ended October 17.

Rats trapped.....	3
Squirrels caught.....	128
Rabbits caught.....	1

Summary of examination of rodents from Contra Costa County for plague infection—Bacillus pestis found in 4 squirrels.

Doctor Blue further reports, October 19:

Since August 1, 1908, a number of animals of different species have been obtained from Contra Costa County, in the area covered by the squirrel plague, and examined in the service laboratories of Oakland and San Francisco. The *bacillus pestis* was demonstrated in 4 squirrels.

Ground squirrels examined.....	422
Rats.....	73
Mice.....	8
Rabbits.....	18
Gophers.....	1
Coyotes.....	1

Outgoing quarantine transactions.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Hobby reports:

Week ended October 17.

Vessels fumigated and certified.....	30
Vessels certified.....	55

Report from Los Angeles, Cal.—Examination of rodents for plague infection.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Stimson reports, October 22:

The following is a report of animals examined in the laboratory here from October 12 to 18, inclusive:

Ground squirrels.....	271
Gray rats.....	289
Black rats.....	22
Gamble pocket mouse.....	7

None of these animals was found to be infected with plague.